HOPWA



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Through the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) Housing Opportunities for Persons with AIDS (HOPWA) program, IHFA will allocate \$810,920 to further opportunities for affordable housing and supportive services for persons with HIV/AIDS within the State of Indiana, excluding the following counties Boone, Brown, Clark, Dearborn, Floyd, Franklin, Hamilton, Hancock, Harrison, Hendricks, Johnson, Marion, Morgan, Ohio, Putnam, Scott, Shelby, and Washington.

Method of Distribution

HOPWA funds were allocated using Indiana State Department of Health's (ISDH) most current epidemiological data (December 2003) showing the current number of reported HIV/AIDS cases in each county. The total number of cases per county was assigned a percentage in relation to the total number of reported HIV/AIDS cases in all of the counties served by the state. Each applicable county received a corresponding percentage of HOPWA funds. We then added the totals of all counties in a region resulting in the final total for each region. The excluded counties receive HOPWA assistance from other participating jurisdictions (Indianapolis, Cincinatti, Louisville).

In order to ensure statewide access to HOPWA funds, IHFA assigned a maximum funding amount to each county within the State of Indiana's HOPWA jurisdiction. IHFA assigned the counties to regions utilizing the Indiana State Department of Health's (ISDH) HIV Care Coordination Regions.

HOPWA REGIONS			
Care Coordination Region 1	Lake, LaPorte, Porter	\$228,871	
Care Coordination Region 2	Elkhart, Fulton, Marshall, Pulaski, St. Joseph, Starke	\$110,959	
Care Coordination Region 3	Adams, Allen, DeKalb, Huntington, Kosciusko, LaGrange, Noble, Steuben, Wabash, Wells, Whitley	\$103,451	
Care Coordination Region 4	Benton, Carroll, Clinton, Fountain, Jasper, Montgomery, Newton, Tippecanoe, Warren, White	\$38,377	
Care Coordination Region 5	Blackford, Delaware, Grant, Jay, Randolph	\$42,548	
Care Coordination Region 6	Cass, Howard, Madison, Miami, Tipton	\$57,982	
Care Coordination Region 8	Clay, Parke, Sullivan, Vermillion, Vigo	\$53,950	
Care Coordination Region 9	Decatur, Fayette, Henry, Ripley, Rush, Union, Wayne	\$28,087	
Care Coordination Region 10	Bartholomew, Greene, Lawrence, Monroe, Owen	\$55,062	
Care Coordination Region 11	Crawford, Jackson, Jefferson, Jennings, Orange, Switzerland	\$11,959	

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Care	Daviess, Dubois, Gibson, Knox, Martin, Perry, Pike, Posey,	\$79,674
Coordination	Spencer, Vanderburgh, Warrick	
Region 12		
	TOTAL	\$810,920

Applicants may request less than the funding available in the region. IHFA reserves the right and shall have the power to allocate less funds than requested in an application.

IHFA will allocate HOPWA funds through a competitive process. If an application satisfies all applicable requirements, it will be evaluated and scored based on:

Capacity	46
Activity*	30
Program Design	<u>24</u>
Total Possible Points	100

^{*}Applicants applying for more than one activity will complete a separate activity application for each eligible activity they are applying for. Applicants can receive up to 30 points on each of their activity applications. IHFA will total the scores of all activities applied and average them resulting in one final score for activity.

Notwithstanding the point ranking system set forth above, IHFA reserves the right and shall have the power to allocate funds irrespective of its point ranking, if such intended allocation is (1) in compliance with the applicable federal regulations; (2) in furtherance of the overall goals of the program and Authority; and (3) determined by the Board to be in the interests of the citizens of the State of Indiana.

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